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RE: Application Serial No.: 09/926,811
Applicants: Yoshihiko FUNAKOSHI, et al.
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For: RADIOACTIVE SUBSTANCE CONTAINMENT
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AND PRODUCING METHOD
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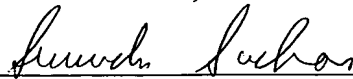
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SECOND STATUS REQUEST FOR FIRST OFFICE ACTION (in duplicate)

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Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

The Patent Office is respectfully requested to inform the undersigned of the approximate date a first Official Action will be issued in this Application.

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